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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF

MARTIN ADAMCZEWSKI ET AL

SERIAL NUMBER: 09/303,232

FILED:

APRIL 30, 1999

TITLE:

NUCLEIC ACIDS WHICH

ENCODE INSECT ACETYL-CHOLINE RECEPTOR

SUBUNITS

GROUP NO.: 1635

EXAMINER: R. SCHNIZER

RESPONSE TO PAPER NO.: 29

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(A) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on 11/15/02

Date

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Name of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative

Signature November 15, 2002

Date

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Please charge the fee for response within the third month, \$ 920.00, to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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